

January 2020

1. CJCC

COMPLETE and ONGOING!

The CJCC was created in 2012 and advises the Board of County Commissioners on the planning for, management of, and evaluation of Lewis and Clark County's criminal justice systems.

Staff requests devoted Strategic Planning throughout 2020 resulting in a compressive road map for '21—'25

2. Statutory Requirements

ONGOING!

The County Attorney's Office provides a bi-annual review of statutory requirements contained in current sentencing legislation for felony and misdemeanor offenses.

ONGOING!

The CJCC may determine need to pursue legislation to eliminate selective statutory requirements.

3. State DOC

NEEDS TO BE ADDRESSED!

Need to provide additional capability to the State DOC to enhance their ability to provide timely and reliable pre-sentence and other documentation needed by the Lewis and Clark County Court System.

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Need to reduce the detention time in County jail for detainees already sentenced to the DOC and waiting placement.

NEEDS TO BE ADDRESSED!

Need to address Re-Entry planning for individuals exiting the DOC system.

CJCC has asked the CAC to consider addressing the State DOC objectives

4. Pretrial Services

COMPLETE and ONGOING!

Pretrial Services Program implemented in May 2018 with a validated screening tool and research-based procedures.

Working Toward:

Inaugural Pretrial Officer and Misdemeanor Probation Officer POST academy took place in November 2019. Lewis and Clark County Pretrial Officers Olsen and Silverthorne attended and graduated.

Updates in Red!

5. Specialty Courts

COMPLETE and ONGOING!

Continue Treatment Court in the First Judicial District

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Continue Family Court in First Judicial District

WORKING TOWARD!

Research potential for a Mental Health Court. Research findings and proposal(s) expected for presentation to CJCC in mid-2020..

PASS (Post Adjudication Supervision Services): CJS is expanding the Pretrial Services Program to include Misdemeanor Probation focused on offenders with diagnosed SDMI.

COMPLETE AND ONGOING!

Detention Center is utilizing the AC-OK Screening with all defendants at booking.

6. Behavioral Health / Stepping Up

COMPLETE and ONGOING!

Crisis Intervention Training (CIT) is provided for all Peace Officers, Detention officers, 9-1-1 Operators, EMT Responders, Pretrial Officers, and Probation and Parole Officers.

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Crisis Response Team (CRT): One proposal was received in response to the County issued RFP for mobile CRT services in support of law enforcement responding to individuals experiencing mental health crisis. A review panel is scheduled to score the proposal January 16 and recommend additions and/or changes. If selected, a contract will be drafted and presented to the Board of County Commissioners in February.

***The County's proposal for State Matching Dollars was funded for behavioral health services specific to the Criminal Justice System. CJS requested funding to assist with a the Crisis Response Team, behavioral health staff in the Detention Center, and Data Project Management.**

WORKING TOWARD!

Inmate Programs: CJS staff working with Jail staff on evidence-based Inmate Programs. A draft of the proposed program and position is planned for presentation to the CJCC in early 2020, prior to the completion of the Detention Center renovation.

7. Jail Standards

COMPLETE and ONGOING!

Jail standards addressing the 14 points recommended by the CAC, were adopted by the Sheriff and County Commissioners in 2018.

COMPLETE and ONGOING!

Periodic Jail inspections include Peer Review Inspections conducted by the Montana Sheriff's Assoc and Quarterly County reviews conducted by the CAO, Commissioners, and others.

WORKING TOWARD!

Sheriff's Office developing an ongoing training program based on the jail standards and operational best practices.

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Jail Behavioral Health: CJS, in collaboration with the Detention Center, has interviewed and selected two therapists and one case manager as the Detention Center's in-house Behavioral Health Team. Hire dates are anticipated for February.

8. Early Intervention & Prevention

WORKING TOWARD!

MOU between CJS and Public Health, to implement programming for system involved families with children aged 0—3, should be signed by the end of January.

OTHER GREAT STUFF—ONGOING!

DATA:

- 1) CJS has selected a Data Project Manager to implement JMI recommendations for Data Warehouse. A contract is expected in February.
- 2) CJS working with Sheriff's Office on RFP for OMS contractor.

MAT: Lewis and Clark County's MAT team continues to address their work plan to implement MAT in the Jail.